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TABLES,—CASES,—COLLECTIONS
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1946

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FORM OF BEQUEST.

I bequeath to the Stratton Cottage Hospital, Stratton, Cornwall, the sum of
Pounds (free of Legacy or other duty) for the general purposes of the said Hospital.

And I declare that the receipt of the Treasurer, thereof, for the time being, shall be a sufficient discharge for the same.

HOSPITAL VISITING DAYS.

SUNDAYS and TUESDAYS.

HOURS—2 to 4 P.M.

The Matron will be pleased to show visitors over the Hospital by appointment.

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STRATTON COTTAGE HOSPITAL,

1946.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

Chairman : Rear-Admiral E. B. CLOETE.

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H.C.A. (Cornwall)— Mr. L. MEAGOR.
B.R.C.S. Representative— Mrs. MORTIMER.

THE TRUSTEES.

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THOMAS ARTHUR KING, Esq.
Capt. A. D. BARROW, R.N. (Retd.)
R. H S. JONES, Esq.

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LADIES' COMMITTEE.

Mrs. HAMILTON WEIR.
Mrs. D'ARCY.
Mrs. BYRNE.
Mrs. MORTIMER.

HON. SOLICITORS.

ANDREW & JONES.

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HON. AUDITORS.

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HON. CHAPLAIN.

Rev. W. T. GILBERT, Vicar of Stratton Tel. Bude 209.

HON. SECRETARY.

Lt.-Col. H. H. DAW, D.S.O., O.B.E., Cothill STRATTON, Tel Bude 369.

HON. TREASURER.

Capt. A. D. BARROW, R.N., Retd., Carwollan, BUDE Tel. No. 259

ASST. TREASURER.

MAJOR MANLEY, M.B.E., D.C.M., 50, Valley Road, Bude Tel. 443

HONORARY MEDICAL OFFICERS.

T. A. KING, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. STRATTON „ „ 47

H. HOLTBY, M.A., M.B., B.S. Durham BUDE „ „ 14

C. H. C. BYRNE, M B., D.L.O , B S., London BUDE „ „ 224

W. LEWIS, M.R.C.S., M.A. (Cantab) L.R.C.P., BUDE „ „ 323

T. ASTON WARD, M.B., B.Ch., B.H.O. Belfast.
Elton, Widemouth Bay, Bude.
Widemouth Bay „ „ 252

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BRADWORTHY 15

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M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. ... HOLSWORTHY 46.

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D. H. RIDLER, M.C., L.D.S., R.C.S.
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S. W. WHATELEY, L.D.S., R.C.S. (Eng.)

MASSEUSE.

Miss ADAMS, C.S.M.M.G. BUDE „ „ 446

AMBULANCE NUMBER.

WIDEMOUTH BAY 223

MATRON.

Miss A. POOLE, S.R.N., C.M.B. BUDE „ „ 24

NURSING STAFF.

Sister D. J. Andrew, S.R.N.
Sister G. E. Fox, S.R.N.
Sister W. M. Ellicott, S.R.N.

Asst. Nurse W. A. S. Hearne
Asst. Nurse M. Harris.
Prob. Nurse J. Brock.

Eightieth Report.

The end of 1946 found the Hospital continuing to work at high pressure with an increase of 111 patients treated during the year under review.

The Matron and Nursing Staff were able to meet all demands made for admission, and we were fortunate in being able to obtain two trained nurses to add to a very depleted nursing staff.

The domestic problem is still to be solved, and the want of a housemaid throws quite a lot of additional work on the nursing staff not connected with their professional duties, in spite of advertisements and verbal requests to the public we have not received any applications for the vacancy.

The financial position of the Hospital is sound due to the generous support of the public of Bude-Stratton and and surrounding parishes.

The exterior of the Hospital has been re-painted and the Board Room enlarged and converted into a Sitting Room for the nursing staff. The question of supply of the necessary furniture will take a little time to solve but it is hoped to obtain this in the near future.

The Hospital entrance is being widened and an additional approach road made within the Hospital limits. We are indebted to the courtesy of Mr. Skitch for permission to cut back the wall adjoining his garden which will greatly improve the Hospital entrance.

Staff. The resignation of Dr. T. A. King at the end of the year is a matter of great regret both to the Staff and Patients alike. Dr. King has since July, 1899, served the Hospital, founded by his father in 1866, and it is only his desire to make way for younger men that has led to his resignation. We are pleased to record that Dr. King has consented to remain on in an Honorary capacity at the request of both the Medical and the Management Committee.

The application of Dr. W. J. E. Radford, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Broadclose Hill, to join the Medical Staff has been approved.

We have received the resignation of Mr. C. L. Hicks, L.D.S., R.C.S., Hon. Dental Surgeon. Mr. Hicks has been associated with the Hospital for many years but is shortly retiring and so very reluctantly severing his connection with the Hospital.

The Committee wish to record their appreciation of Mr. Hicks' services to the Hospital.

The following gentlemen have been appointed Hon. Dental Surgeons :—

Mr. D. H. Ridler, M.C., L.D.S., R.C.S.
Mr. W. N. Trays, L.D.S., R.C.S. (Eng).
Mr. S. W. Whateley, L.D.S., R.C.S. (Eng.)

Committee. There has been no change in the Committee during the year under review.

General. The working of the Education Act, 1944, caused a certain amount of confusion. In the first instance the Cornwall County Council ruled that all children in-patients should be sent to Truro, Redruth, or other Hospitals named by the Council and that treatment could not be given at the Stratton Cottage Hospital.

The matter was very strongly represented both in the Press and the Bude-Stratton District Council, and children are now treated here except for those requiring special treatment.

We are still in need of public support to maintain the Hospital until the passing of the National Health Act in April, 1948. An impression exists that as all Medical attention is or will be free the Hospital no longer needs voluntary contributions—this is not so. The Hospital costs are increasing, we need a large staff both nursing and domestic and owing to increased wages being authorized our overhead charges are on the increase. The Hospital has had to spend some hundreds of pounds in repairs and

renovations all left over from the war years. This is a big demand on our reserve and the public are asked to continue their generous support as in past years.

The Committee wish to convey their appreciation to the Medical Staff, Ladies' Committee, Hon. Treasurer and Hon. Secretary, and to the general public for their continued support both by gifts of money and in kind.

We are grateful to the Collectors who assisted on Flag Day and those who kindly undertook a house-to-house collection in the various parishes.

In addition we acknowledge the kind thought and material help given to the Hospital by those who organized concerts and dances in aid of the Hospital.

The Committee tender their thanks to the Matron and Nursing Staff for their continued good work in spite of the handicap of no domestic labour being obtainable.

It is hoped to procure a ward and housemaid in the near future and so lessen the strain on the Nursing Staff.

STRATTON COTTAGE HOSPITAL
CONTRIBUTORY SCHEME.

Mr. L. Meagor, the Local Secretary, and all Group Secretaries deserve our warm thanks for their voluntary service. Miss Prettejohn has resigned after nine years' Secretaryship. The number of contributors has increased during the year. Total 1792.

The Annual General Meeting will be held at an early date.

L. MEAGOR,
Local Hon. Secretary,
18, Fairfield Road,
Bude.

For the guidance of Contributors to the Contributory Scheme, and those desirous of joining, a list is given below of the Groups serving the various districts together with names and addresses of Honorary Group Secretaries.

Group.	Number.	Hon. Group Secretary.
A. O. Foresters	D-7-4	Mr. W. T. Ward, Summerhayes, Stratton
Bude Open Group	D-7-15	Mr. H. Brimacombe, 24 Down View, Bude
Bude Post Office	DG-7-59	Miss K. V. Venner, Post Office, Bude
Christy Bros.	D-7-2	Mr. G. Lyle, c/o Messrs. Christy Bros. Bude
Constitutional Club	D-7-1	Major Manley, 50, Valley Road, Bude
I. O. Rechabites, Bude	D-7-17	Mr. J. H. Hallett, Blanchminster Bldg., Bude
Kilkhampton No. 1	D-7-5	Mrs. White, Sea View, Kilkhampton
Kilkhampton No. 2	D-7-3	Mrs. G. Gerry, West St., Kilkhampton
Launcells	D-7-16	Mr. J. C. Bines, Fairfield, Launcells, Bude
Marhamchurch	D-7-9	Mrs. Jones, Hill Crest, Marhamchurch, Bude
Morwenstow Women's Institute	D-7-6	Mrs. Bailey, Tonacombe Manor, Morwenstowe, Bude
Poughill	D-7-12	Mrs. Gilbert, Post Office, Poughill, Bude
Stratton	D-7-14	Mr. C. Woodley, Stratton, Bude
Widemouth		

COLLECTIONS, Hospital Sunday.

	1944.	1945.	1946
Bangors Methodist Church	£3 0 0	£2 2 0	...
Bradford Methodist Church	...	1 2 6	1 5 0
Brandis Corner Meth. Ch.	2 0 5	...	...
Bradworthy Parish Church	...	...	2 2 0
Bradworthy Meth. Ch.	2 6	...	...
Bradworthy Cross Meth. Ch.	...	...	3 0
Bude Parish Church ...	2 2 0	15 15 0	10 10 0
Bude Central Meth. Ch.	14 0 0	11 14 0	5 0 0
Bude Congregational Ch.	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0
Bush Methodist Church ...	1 12 0	1 11 0	...
Clifton College ...	13 16 2	7 6 0	...
Eastcott Methodist Church	...	...	1 0 0
Flexbury Methodist Church	3 3 0	3 0 0	...
Halwill Parish Church ...	...	2 2 0	3 0 0
Holsworthy Parish Church	...	...	3 15 9
Jacobstow Parish Church ...	5 0 0	..	...
Kilkhampton Parish Church	5 17 8	2 2 3	...
Kilkhampton Cen. Meth. Ch.	...	...	2 10 0
Kilkhampt'n West St. Meth. Ch.	12 3	..	...
Madworthy Meth. Church	...	1 10 0	...
Marhamchurch Parish Ch.	...	(1944) 3 3 0	3 6 2
		3 17 10	
Maxworthy Methodist Ch.	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
Milton Damerell Church	...	...	2 13 0
Morwenstow Meth. Ch.	...	1 0 0	...
Poughill Parish Church	14 14 0	16 5 1	17 4 5
Poughill Methodist Ch.	...	1 8 6	...
Dimma Meth. Church	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0
Poundstock Methodist Church	...	...	1 0 0
Poundstock Parish Church	5 9 9	2 18 6	...
St. Gennys Parish Church	2 11 9	3 10 0	3 0 0
St. Mary's Widemouth Bay	1 18 6	...	...
Stratton Parish Church	5 0 0	10 0 0	5 0 0
Stratton Methodist Church	...	(1944) 2 10 0	2 10 0
		2 10 0	
Sutcombe Parish Church	1 0 0	1 12 8	1 1 6
Thurdon Methodist Church	8 0	...	8 5
Week S. Mary Meth. Chs	...	5 5 0	4 4 0
Welcombe Parish Church	...	...	8 3 9
Welcombe Methodist Church	10 6	...	11 9
Whitstone Parish Church	5 5 0	3 3 0	...
Woodford Meth. Church	...	...	10 3
	£96 12 6	£113 17 4	£87 8 0

STATISTICAL TABLES

STRATTON COTTAGE HOSPITAL

For year ending Dec. 31st, 1946, as compared with the previous year.

(A) **Beds and Patients.**

	1945.	1946.
1 Number of beds in daily use	20	20
2 Average number of patients resident daily throughout the year counted daily ...	14·7	13·7
3 Number of patients in Hospital at beginning of year	13	14
4 Number of patients admitted during year	336	446
5 Number of patients in Hospital at end of year	14	10
6 Average number of days each patient was resident	15·46	10·8

(B) **Annual Ordinary Expenditure on In-Patients: Average cost of each In-Patient per week: and cost of each In-Patient.**

	Expenditure on In-Patients 1945.	Average cost of each In-Patient per week 1945.	Expenditure on In-Patients 1946.	Average cost of each In-Patient per week 1946.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Provisions	503 13 2	13 0	522 2 6	14 7
2. Surgical and Medical ...	242 6 3	6 6	288 10 2	8 1
3. Domestic	612 2 0	15 9	532 6 8	14 10
4. Salaries and Wages ...	835 17 2	1 1 7	1002 1 5	1 8 0
5. Miscellaneous	119 5 6	3 2	124 0 10	3 5
6. Administration	101 11 0	2 8	220 16 0	6 2
STATISTICAL COST ...	2414 15 1	3 2 8	2689 17 7	3 15 1
7. Establishment	55 6 5	1 5	435 11 5	12 1
8. Finance	6 1 4	1	6 4 4	2
TOTAL COST	2476 2 10	3 4 2	3131 13 4	4 7 4
Average total cost of each In-Patient £	...	7 1 10	...	6 16 1

Total number of patient days 5010.

There is no regular Out-Patient department, but first aid has been rendered and further dressings given to 46 patients.

List of Subscriptions, Donations and Parish (house to house) Collections.

BUDE.

		£	s.	d.
£5 0s. 0d.	Mr. V. L. Aspland	5	0	0
£3 3s. 0d.	Mr. G. Graver	3	3	0
£2 2s. 0d.	Miss E. Brown, Bude Gas Company ...	4	4	0
£2 0s. 0d.	Mrs. Pearce	2	0	0
£1 1s. 0d.	Messrs. Andrew & Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. Banbury, Mr. Bellamy, Mr. G. Brendon, Lloyds Bank Ltd., Barclays Bank Ltd., National Prov. Bank Ltd., Messrs. Boots Ltd., Misses Ching, Mrs. Griffin, Mr. Hicks, Mrs. George Jones, Mr. C. J. Mayo, Mrs. Foster-Melliar, Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Wiltshire, Mrs. Wood	18	18	0
£1 0s. 0d.	Mr. G. Bullock, Mr. A. W. H. Dickinson, Grenville Hotel, D. M. C. McCallum, Mr. McDermott, Miss Page, Mr. W. Parsons, Messrs. W. W. Petherick & Sons Ltd.	8	0	0
10/6	Mr. Edward Green, Mr. H. E. Hill, Mr. Whateley	1	11	6
10/–	Mr. F. Ash, Capt. A. D. Barrow, Rev. M. Bere, Mrs. B. E. Durston, Messrs. Fulfords Ltd., Mr. G. Graver, Mrs. Gray, Mr. N. J. Hawking, Mr. K. A. Hooper, Miss Johnson. W. M. Petherick, Mr. W. Pickard, Mrs. Stanbury, Mrs. Symonds	7	0	0
7/–	Mr. Mortimore		7	0
6/–	Miss Larkworthy		6	0
5/	Mr. C. T. E. Abbott, Mrs. Askham, Mrs. Batten, Mrs. J. M. Bate, Mr. Bayly, Messrs. Behennah & Co., Miss Constantine & Miss Mostyn, Mrs. Davidson, Mr. F. J. Edwards, Mr. V. French, Mr. J. H. Hallett, Messrs. Harris & Co. (Bude) Ltd., Miss Hennings, Mr. Henry, Mr. A. Isaac, Mrs. Joll, Mr. Heath Jones, Mr. Keat (senr.), Mrs. Kyte, Mrs. E. Leach, Mr. D. S. Lovell, Mrs. Maddock, Mr. & Mrs. C. Maynard, Mrs. McDermott, Mrs. Thornton Phillips, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Pearce, Mrs. Perry Bolt, Mr. T. S. Petherick, Mrs. Schofield, Miss Tattersall, Mr. S. T. Thorn, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Walkey, Mrs. Roy Webb, Mrs. A. Wilkes, Mrs. Wingate, Mr. Worden	9	10	0
	264 Subscribers under 5/–	23	19	0
		83	18	6

BRIDGERULE.

		£	s.	d.
10/6	Mrs. F. Lucas		10	6
10/-	Mrs. F. Venner		10	0
5/-	Mrs. C. Andrew, Mrs. Ashton, Mr. Curtis, Mrs. Dodd and sister, Mrs. W. Honey, Miss M. Honey, Miss G. Honey, Mrs. A. Jones, Mr. W. Martin, Mrs. Putt, The Vicar.	2	15	0
	70 Subscribers under 5/-	5	13	0
		9	8	6

1945 £10 5s. 0d.

JACOBSTOW.

£8 0s. 0d.	Anonymous	8	0	0
£2 0s. 0d.	Mr. Jewell	2	0	0
10/-	Mrs. Brown, W. Paynter, Mrs. W. Sandercock ...	1	10	0
5/-	Capt. Alford, Rev. J. Allsopp, Mr. Bray, Mr. Cory, Mrs. Cuthill, Mrs. Heard, Mrs. Johns, Mrs. Medland. sen. (Blagdon), Mrs. M. Shepherd, Mr. G. Spry, Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Tape	3	0	0
	50 Subscribers under 5/-	5	12	9
		20	2	9

KILKHAMPTON.

£2 0s. 0d.	Mr. & Mrs. Sluggett, Mrs. Thynne	4	0	0
£1 1s. 0d.	Mrs. Jones (Wingfield House), Miss Thynne,	2	2	0
£1 0s. 0d.	Mr. & Mrs. W. Gist, Mr. J. Wilson (Houndapit)	2	0	0
10/-	Mr. & Mrs. G. Elliott		10	0
5/-	Mr. & Mrs. F. Allin (Stowe), Mr. & Mrs. Cory & Clifford. Mr. G. Davis, Mr. M. Sloman, Mr. J. Wickett, Mr. W. T. Axford	1	10	0
	24 Subscribers under 5/-	2	5	3
		12	7	3

LAUNCELLS.

£1 1s. 0d.	Rev. J. Richardson	1	1	0
10/6	Mr. J. C. Bines, P. J. Olde	1	1	0
		2	2	0

MARHAMCHURCH.

	£	s.	d.
£1 0s. 0d. Mrs. Cloete	1	0	0
10/- Mrs. Andrew, Capt. Chope, Hon. Mrs. Waller ...	1	10	0
7/- Miss Wickett		7	0
5/- Mr. Badcock, Mrs. Day, Mrs. J. Greenaway, Rev. W. T. Haydon	1	0	0
6 Subscribers under 5/-		14	6
	4	11	6

POUNDSTOCK.

£1 0s. 0d, Mrs. C. D. Kingdon	1	0	0
10/- F. W. Brewer, E. B. Hughes	1	0	0
6/- F. E. Beaddell & E. M. Cobb, Misses Tucker ...		12	0
5/- Mr. F. Barrett, R. H. Cory, F. Lansberg, Mrs. Lyle, E. G. Okall. Mrs. Vigg, J. F. Warren, E. S. White ...	2	0	0
38 Subscribers under 5/-	3	16	0
	8	8	0

ST. GENNYS.

£6 6s. 0d. Anon...	6	6	0
£2 2s. 0d. A. G. Briggs	2	2	0
£1 1s. 0d. Mr. & Mrs. Oscar Briggs, A. E. Briggs, Mrs. Dearlove, Dr. & Mrs. J. C. Gordon, Moss Family, J. H. B. Moss Esq., Wing-Comdr. Alan G. Parnall ...	7	7	0
£1 0s. 0d. Mrs. Green & Miss Hewit, Mrs. Rowan ...	2	0	0
10/6 Mrs. C. I. V. Stern		10	6
10/- Mr. & Mrs. Chidly, C. M. Gedge, C. M. Gadge, A. J. & Mrs. Hay, E. M. Huffin, Mrs. Passmore & Mrs. Carss, Mr. & Mrs. Pinkney, Mr. & Mrs. Stevens & Miss Foster, Mr. & Mrs. F. Ward, Mr. & Mrs. T. Ward and Mr. Medland	5	0	0
7/6 P. M. Banbury, Mrs. Lee		15	0
7/- M. P. Banbury		7	0
5/- Misses Blackmore, Mr. & Mrs. W. G. Crowle, G. Edwards, D. Henderson. G. Landen, Mr. & Mrs. W. Piper, D. Rogers, Mrs. E. D. Smeeth, Miss Smeeth, D. Smeeth, K. Stewart, E. Swan, E. Tinell, P. Ward ...	3	10	0
98 Subscribers under 5/-	10	12	6
	38	10	0

Stratton Cottage Hospital.

RULES.

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1. The Hospital is designed for the accommodation of the Parishes comprised within the Stratton Union, for patients suffering from accidents or from disease not being infectious or incurable. One bed when vacant shall be open to Patients from adjacent Parishes.

2. The Hospital shall be under the direction of a Committee of 10, three of whom shall be ladies to be chosen annually by the Subscribers. The Hon Sec. and Treas., the Medical Officers, the Trustees, and one member nominated by the Bude-Stratton Urban District Council, the Stratton Rural District Council, the Blanchminster Feoffees, the Bude Carnival Committee and the Hon. Secretary H.S.A. Local Organising Committee shall be ex-officio members of the Committee. The Committee shall appoint one of themselves to be Chairman and shall have power to make bye laws for the better carrying out of details of management of the Hospital. They shall meet once a month to transact the business of the Hospital, but a special meeting may be called by the Secretary at the request of not less than three members. Three to form a quorum. Upon the occurrence of a vacancy, the Committee shall forthwith co-opt a member to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the year.

3. A General Meeting of Subscribers shall be held annually on or before June 1st, at which the Committee and Officers for the ensuing year shall be elected, and at which the Report and Statement of Accounts shall be presented. Not less than 7 days' notice of every General Meeting shall be given, and the notice shall specify the nature of the business to be transacted. Those who have given a donation of £5 in one sum, or who contribute at least 5/- per annum shall be considered "Subscribers" The Minister of any Church or Chapel having a collection, Secretary of any Friendly Society, or Club, or any Society, or Parish Collector who contributes sums named above shall be deemed to be a subscriber during the time for which such donation or subscription or collection is in force. Subscribers shall be entitled to vote at all General Meetings, at which 6 shall form a quorum.

4. An Annual Report of the working of the Hospital, and a Balance Sheet of Receipts and Expenses, shall be published by the Committee and forwarded to each Subscriber.

5. The Hospital is maintained by Voluntary Contributions but the Patients are invited to make a Payment, calculated according to their means, towards their maintenance and treatment.

6. The reception and dismissal of patients must depend on the discretion of the Medical Officers, and on the capacity of the Institution.

7. A Committee of Ladies shall be annually appointed by the Committee, and shall have under their direction the domestic management of the Hospital.

8. The establishment shall consist of a Matron, Nurse, and such other assistance as the Committee shall determine They shall receive their appointment and discharge direct from the Committee, a month's notice to leave being given and required. The Matron shall be responsible to the Medical Officers for her patients, and to the Committee Ladies for the general order and arrangement of the Hospital, and for all stores committed to her charge.

9. The Vicar of Stratton for the time being shall be requested to act as Honorary Chaplain, who shall be responsible for the Service of the House, but Patients shall be allowed the attendance of their own Minister on their request.

10. Every requisite shall be provided in the Hospital, and Patients will not be allowed to receive food or drink, from any source without the sanction of the Medical Officers.

11. All subscriptions shall be payable yearly and in advance on the 1st April.

12. (A) There shall be four Trustees of the Hospital and the first Trustees shall be Mr. William Waddon Martyn, Mr. Frank Carver, Mr. Thomas Arthur King and Mr. G. H. Gurney.

(B) Any Trustee may be removed by a majority of two thirds of the Subscribers present and voting in General Meeting. Vacancies among the Trustees shall be filled up from time to time by the Subscribers in General Meeting and the number of the Trustees shall never be less than two. Upon the appointment of a Trustee or Trustees all such deeds and other acts as may be necessary for the purpose of vesting all properties of the Hospital then invested in any surviving or continuing or retiring Trustees or Trustee or the executors or administrators of any last surviving Trustee in the Trustees for the time being jointly shall be executed and done.

(C) All the real and leasehold properties and all the investments belonging to the Hospital shall be vested in the Trustees and they shall have the custody of all deeds and documents relating to the property of the Hospital and shall be responsible for the same, and shall deal with and dispose of all the capital property of the Hospital whether real or personal for the time being vested in them in accordance with the directions of the Subscribers; the income thereof shall be dealt with in accordance with the directions of the Committee.

13. No alteration shall be made in these Rules except at a General Meeting, of which notice signifying the intention to propose the alteration shall have been given, and by a vote of a majority of not less than two-thirds of those present.

POUGHILL.

	£	s.	d.
£5 0s. 0d. Lady Wood	5	0	0
£4 4s. 0d. Mr. P. C. Thornton	4	4	0
£2 2s. 0d. Mr. T. Corbett, Mrs. D'Arcy, Miss Douglass, Capt. Hook, Mrs. G. Sich	10	10	0
£1 1s. 0d. Capt. Cook, Miss Jenner, Mrs. Morford, Rev. E. C. H. Pyemont, Mr. Stallabrass, Mrs. Thynne, E. L. Winter	7	7	0
£1 0s. 0d. Mrs. Brendon, Miss Courtier-Dutton, Mrs. Kenyon Slaney. Mr. Langdon, Mrs. Quant	5	0	0
12/6 C. D. Martyn		12	6
10/6 Mrs. Zambra		10	6
10/- E. L. Aladve, Miss Balhatchet, Mrs. Brown, B. Byman, Miss Campion, Mr. Cardew, Mrs. C. Griffin, A. M. Hearne, Mrs. Kingdon, Major Morgan, Mr. T. Pickard, Miss Risdon, Mrs. Rodgers, Mrs. Nelson-Smith, Mrs. Tait, May Thynne, ...	8	0	0
7/6 Mr. Shirley Smith, ...		7	6
6/6 Mrs. Prout		6	6
5/6 Mrs. Akerman		5	6
5/- Mrs. Coombs. Mr. A. K. Crawford, Sam. Edwards & Co. Mr. & Mrs. Hogge, Mrs. E. L. Prettejohn, Miss Prout, C. Stone, Mrs. Hamilton Weir, Mr. D. E. Zambra	2	5	0
128 Subscribers under 5/-	11	9	0
	55	17	6

STRATTON.

£6 10s. 0d. Kings Arms Hotel	6	10	0
£2 2s. 0d. Mr. O. L. Cory, Mr. P. L. Cory, Mrs. King	6	6	0
£1 0s. 0d. Mrs. Short, Women's Bright Hour	2	0	0
10/- Mrs. Cardale, Mrs. Furze (Grove Park), Mrs. Hannaford	1	10	0
5/- Dr. Curtis, Rev. Gilbert, Harris' Garage, Mr. J. Heard (Grocer), Mrs. Wood	1	5	0
57 Subscribers under 5/-	5	11	6
	23	2	6

MORWENSTOWE.

		£	s.	d.
10/–	R. Cann, W. H. Littlejohns, C. S. Saxton	1	10	0
7/6	D. Hobbs		7	6
5/–	F. Boundy, Mr. H. Cann, J. Carthew, F. Cleave, N. Colwill, J. R. Cottle, Rev. P. A. & Mrs. Evans, Mr. J. Goaman, Mr. Heard, Mrs. R. Heard, Mr. Pitman, Mr. R. G. Tape, Messrs. Tape & Sons, Mr. T. Wickett ...	3	10	0
	123 Subscribers under 5/–	13	8	6
		18	16	0

WEEK ST. MARY.

£1 0s. 0d.	Rev. A. Hambrook, Mrs. R. G. Paynter ...	2	0	0
10/–	P. H. Martin & family, T. N. Gubbin	1	0	0
6/–	J. Skinner		6	0
5/–	Coles Bros., K. S. Coles, J. & D. Colwill, W. T. Congdon, H. J. Congdon, G. Fishleigh, W. A. Hicks, M. Leonard, J. H. Rogers, Sandercock Bros., J. L. Treleven	2	15	0
	56 Subscribers under 5/–	6	8	6
		12	9	6

WHITSTONE.

£5 0s. 0d.	Rev. C. D. Kingdon	5	0	0
£2 0s. 0d.	Mrs. Grills	2	0	0
£1 0s. 0d.	H. Mill, Messrs. Petherick's, Mr. & Mrs. G. N. Tregoning	3	0	0
10/–	Mr. S. D. Ham, Mrs. F. A. Hambly, A. & G. Mariner, A. J. & W. A. Moore, J. M. Moore & family, E. Rees, J. Routly, Short & family, M. Stanbury, Mr. & Mrs. W. Stanbury, G. B. D. Stanbury, H. Stanbury, Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Toms	6	10	0
7/6	H. Martin		7	6
5/–	Braund (Oak), Mr. & Mrs. Braund (Luckham), Mrs. Dowdle, J. Ellacott, Mr. R. S. Ham, Mr. & Mrs. J. Hambly, J. S. Harvy, Mr. & Mrs. C. Hawsey, H. Kivell, (Belvedere), Mrs. Martin, Mr. & Mrs. Matt, Mr. H. S. Orchard (Luckham), W. J. Orchard, T. R. Orchard, Mr. & Mrs. J. Pethick, F. & M. Sloman, Rev. W. Smith, Mr. & Mrs. E. Stanbury, Mr. & Mrs. R. Stanbury, Mr. & Mrs. C. Stanbury, Mr. & Mrs. W. Woodley ...	5	5	0
	18 Subscribers under 5/–	2	2	6
		24	5	0

OUTSIDE AREA.

		£	s.	d.
£10 10s. 0d.	Mrs. Evans	10	10	0
£10 0s. 0d.	Mrs. Betts	10	0	0
£5 5s. 0d.	West Devon & North Cornwall Farmers ...	5	5	0
£5 0s. 0d.	Mr. J. Heard, Miss Luxton	10	0	0
£3 3s. 0d.	W. E. Hawke, C. A. G. Montgomery ..	6	6	0
£3 0s. 0d.	Mrs. Hewson	3	0	0
£2 2s. 0d.	Miss Cann	2	2	0
£1 11s. 6d.	Mrs. Duncan	1	11	6
£1 1s. 0d.	Col. Spread, Mr. O. Williams	2	2	0
£1 0s. 0d.	Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Martin, Miss Martin, Mrs. Shattock, Mr. K. Tofield, Mr. A. W. Walkey ...	6	0	0
19/-	M. Nash		19	0
10/-	Mrs. Colliver. Mr. Hockridge	1	0	0
5/-	Mr. Stacey		5	0
		59	0	6

District Parish Cases.

Bude	has had	137	cases in	Hospital.
Bridgerule	,,	10	,,	,,
Jacobstow	,,	5	,,	,,
Kilkhampton	,,	30	,,	,,
Launcells	,,	10	,,	,,
Marhamchurch	,,	17	,,	,,
Morwenstow	,,	16	,,	,,
Poughill	,,	12	,,	,,
Poundstock	,,	17	,,	,,
Stratton	,,	44	,,	,,
St. Gennys	,,	9	,,	,,
Week St. Mary	,,	5	,,	,,
Whitstone	,,	12	,,	,,
		324		

Neighbouring Districts.

Ashwater	,,	1	,,	,,
Beaworthy	,,	9	,,	,,
Bradworthy	,,	20	,,	,,
Brandis Corner	,,	9	,,	,,
Buckland Brewer	,,	4	,,	,,
Chilsworthy	,,	1	,,	,,
Hartland	,,	1	,,	,,
Holsworthy	,,	39	,,	,,
Launceston	,,	4	,,	,,
Milton Damerell	,,	5	,,	,,
North Tamerton	,,	4	,,	,,
Pancrassweek	,,	2	,,	,,
Parkham	,,	2	,,	,,
Putford	,,	2	,,	,,
Pyworthy	,,	4	,,	,,
Sutcombe	,,	8	,,	,,
Woolsery	,,	5	,,	,,
		120		

Outside.

Bideford	has had	4	cases in	Hospital.
Birmingham	,,	1	,,	,,
Boscastle	,,	1	,,	,,
Cheam	,,	1	,,	,,
Derby	,,	1	,,	,,
Ilford	,,	1	,,	,,
Kidderminster	,,	1	,,	,,
Manchester	,,	1	,,	,,
Pinner	,,	1	,,	,,
Potter's Bar	,,	1	,,	,,
Seven Kings	,,	1	,,	,,
Southampton	,,	1	,,	,,
Truro	,,	1	,,	,,
		16		
	Total	460		

Summary of Case Results.

Cured ..	404	Operations	267
Improved ..	17	Anæsthetics	267
Transferred	16	X-Ray Cases	358
Died	16		
No Improvement	7		
	460		

Casualty Patients' treatment	165.
Hospital Contributory Schemes Cases ..	168.
Total of Patient Days	5010.
Total Admissions	460.

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

for the year ended

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance brought forward				238	19	10
I. **Voluntary Gifts.**						
Subscriptions, Donations, and [house-to-house] Collections—						
Bridgerule	9	8	6			
Bude	83	18	6			
Jacobstow	20	2	9			
Kilkhampton	12	7	3			
Launcells	2	2	0			
Marhamchurch	4	11	6			
Morwenstow	18	16	0			
Poughill	55	17	6			
Poundstock	8	8	0			
St. Gennys	38	10	0			
Stratton	23	2	6			
Week St. Mary	12	9	6			
Whitstone	24	5	0			
Whitstone & Bridgerule (1945) ...	10	5	0			
Outside Areas	59	0	6			
				383	4	6
Church Collections				87	8	0
Box Collections				36	12	1
Entertainments—						
Milton Damarell (Theatricals) ...	20	0	0			
Stratton Children's Fancy Dress Party	3	14	6			
I.T.K.A, (Kilkhampton)	20	15	3			
Bradworthy Pantomime	34	0	9			
Woolsery Dance	10	15	0			
Stratton Dance	22	7	0			
Bude Pavilion Cafe Dance... ...	30	0	0			
N. Tamerton Dance	22	5	0			
Flag Day	81	0	1			
Kings Arms Darts Tournament ...	3	0	0			
				247	17	7
Grants—						
Cornwall F.A.	1	0	0			
Parish Hall Canteen	100	0	0			
Stratton Ratepayers	2	5	9			
Bude Post Office	3	0	0			
Holsworthy Infant Welfare Committee	52	19	6			
H.C.A. Local Organizing Committee	25	0	0			
A.O.F. Court Stamford	1	1	0			
				185	6	3
Carried forward				£1,179	8	3

(GENERAL ACCOUNT)

31st December, 1946.

PAYMENTS.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
I. **Provisions**				522	2	6
II. **Surgical and Medical—**						
Supplies	231	18	11			
Oxygen and Gas	9	13	3			
X-Ray	41	3	0			
Pathological	5	15	0			
				288	10	2
III. **Domestic Expenses—**						
Renewals & Repairs-(1) Electric ...	18	19	10			
Wireless	18	2	0			
Furniture	7	16	6			
Linen ...	43	1	5			
Crockery, etc.	10	1	11			
(2) Laundry ...	133	0	6			
(3) Cleaning and chandlery	4	10	3			
Lighting & Heating-(4) Coal & Coke	162	0	3			
Electricity	59	8	11			
Gas ...	22	17	0			
(5) Uniform Allowance	45	0	0			
(6) Matron's Sundries	7	8	1			
				532	6	8
IV. **Salaries—**						
Nursing Staff	734	7	3			
Domestic Staff	179	1	10			
Superannuation Scheme	56	18	10			
National Health Insurance ...	31	13	6			
				1002	1	5
V. **Miscellaneous Expenses—**						
Insurance	6	0	0			
Workmen's Compensation ...	7	12	1			
Gardener's Wages	85	16	0			
Garden Expenses	7	11	1			
Wireless Licence		10	0			
Bed Name Plate	3	5	0			
Transport	6	8	5			
Papers	6	14	11			
Health Act (copies)		3	4			
				124	0	10
Carried forward				£2,469	1	7

Receipts and Payments

Receipts.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				1,179	8	3
Grants *continued.*						
C.H.S.S. Poughill...	20	0	0			
C.H.S.S. Bude	205	16	7			
Blanchminster Charity	10	10	0			
Coroner's Jury Fees		7	0			
Holsworthy Euchre League ...	5	0	0			
Holsworthy Carnival	20	0	0			
				261	13	7
II. **On account of services rendered—**						
Patients' Payments—General Wards ...	299	5	0			
Private Wards ...	644	3	0			
Contributory Schemes	677	19	3			
County Councils	163	3	9			
M.O.H. Ward Fees	6	15	0			
,, X-Ray	1	16	0			
General X-Ray	74	19	3			
				1,868	1	3
III. **Investments—**						
Bray Endowments	55	11	10			
3½% Conversion Loan	105	19	2			
3½% War Loan	40	5	0			
4% Consols	2	10	0			
3% Savings Bonds	50	1	5			
3% Defence Bonds	26	16	2			
				281	3	7
Total Ordinary Receipts				£3,590	6	8
Extraordinary Receipts—						
Income Tax Rebate	35	11	1			
Sale of Trolley	1	0	0			
				36	11	1
Grand Total				£3,626	17	9

We hereby certify that we have examined the above Receipts and Payments (General Account) for the year ended 31st December, 1946, with the books and vouchers relating thereto. We have obtained all the information and explanations we have required and in our opinion such Account is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the affairs of the hospital.

(Signed) Metherell Gard and Co., Chartered Accountants,
Hon. Auditors,
Lloyds Bank Chambers, Bude.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1947.

(General Account) *continued.*

Payments.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				2,469	1	7
VI. **Administration—**						
Printing and Stationery	34	1	3			
Advertising	1	12	3			
Honorariums	27	5	0			
Telephone	32	14	4			
Hon. Secretary	3	12	2			
Hon. Treasurer	9	4	0			
Cheques	1	0	0			
Affiliation Fees	7	7	0			
Assistant to Hon. Treas.	104	0	0			
				220	16	0
VII. **Establishment—**						
Repairs to Buildings				435	11	5
VIII. **Finance—**						
Flag Day	3	3	8			
Rates	2	16	8			
Tithe		4	0			
				6	4	4
Total Ordinary Expenses				3,131	13	4
Extraordinary Payments—						
To Special Fees Account	22	17	3			
„ Deposit Account	200	0	0			
				222	17	3
Total Payments				£3,354	10	7
Balance, Cash at Bank	269	15	5			
„ in Hand	2	11	9			
Balance				272	7	2
				£3,626	17	9

A. D. Barrow, Capt. R.N., retd.,
Hon. Treas., Stratton Cottage Hospital.

SPECIAL FEES (Receipts and Payments Account).

	£	s.	d.
Adjustment for C.C. Children	22	17	3
Contributory Schemes	1132	2	0
County Councils	241	1	7
Ministry of Health Ward Fees ...	8	12	6
Ministry of Health X-Ray Fees ...	2	5	0
General X-Ray Fees	138	18	6
	£1545	16	10

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Medical Officers				22	17	3
Contributory Schemes—						
To Medical Officers ...	295	10	1			
Surgeons' Fund ...	158	12	8			
Hospital General Account	677	19	3			
				1132	2	0
County Councils—						
Medical Officers ..	77	17	10			
Hospital General Account	163	3	9			
				241	1	7
Ministry of Health Ward Fees—						
Medical Officers ...	1	17	6			
Hospital General Account	6	15	0			
				8	12	6
Ministry of Health X-Ray Fees—						
Medical Officers ...		9	0			
Hospital General Account	1	16	0			
				2	5	0
General X-Ray Fees—						
Medical Officers ...	63	19	3			
Hospital General Account	74	19	3			
				138	18	6
				£1545	16	10

INVESTMENT ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance as at 1st Jan., 1946						
Investments ...	7965	19	4			
Deposit Account ...	11	11	6			
				7977	10	10
Amount paid to Deposit Account				200	0	0
Interest for year ...					1	0
				£8177	11	10

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Balance as at 31st Dec., 1946						
Investments per list ...	7955	19	4			
Deposit Account ...	221	12	6			
				8177	11	10
				£8177	11	10

SURGEONS' FUND (Receipts and Payments Account).

	£	s.	d.
To Balance as at 1st February, 1946	51	12	7
,, Special Fees Account ...	158	12	8
	£210	5	3

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Fees, Drs. Holtby, Byrne & Morgan	13	0	0			
Dr. Byrne ...	32	16	0			
Dr. Betts	87	8	0			
Drs. Holtby & Morgan	9	6	0			
				142	10	0
,, Balance as at 31st Dec., 1946				67	15	3
				£210	5	3

FEDERATED SUPERANNUATION SCHEME (Receipts and Payments Account).

	£	s.	d.
To Hospital Payments ...	£56	18	10
,, Nursing Staff	29	8	7
	£86	7	5

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By London Assurance ...	£63	15	0			
,, Prudential Assurance ...	12	7	6			
,, R.N.P.F. for Nurses ...	9	5	9			
				85	8	3
,, Balance					19	2
				£86	7	5

Investments.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
4% Consols—						
Edward Shearme Memorial Fund ..				62	10	0
3½% Conversion Loan—						
Roadley Bequest	2600	0	0			
James Henry Stephens Bequest	51	0	4			
Marhamchurch Revel Endowment	10	4	1			
Edward Shearme Memorial Fund	277	9	4			
General Fund	88	15	7			
				3027	9	4
3% Defence Bonds—						
Marhamchurch Revel Endowment	10	0	0			
Miss Wickett	20	0	0			
Holsworthy "Salute the Soldier"	20	0	0			
Clifton College Dramatic Society	80	0	0			
Clifton College Benefaction ..	105	0	0			
Mrs. Cann Bequest	150	0	0			
General Fund	750	0	0			
				1135	0	0
3% Savings Bonds—						
C. H. Walkey Endowment ..	100	0	0			
Lt. J. C. Bally Endowment ..	100	0	0			
Anonymous	50	0	0			
General Fund	950	0	0			
Reserve Fund	1000	0	0			
				2200	0	0
3½% War Loan—						
Comrades War Bed Endowment	1050	0	0			
Edward Shearme Memorial Fund	100	0	0			
				1150	0	0
War Savings Certificates—						
15/- General Fund.						
Maturing Value £500, at cost	375	0	0			
£1 General Fund.						
Maturing Value £6 18 0, at cost	6	0	0			
				381	0	0
As per Investment Account				£7955	19	4

Legacies, Bequests & Endowments since 1934.

		£	s.	d.
1934	Exors. Mrs. M. E. Pearce ...	20	0	0
	,, R. F. Roadley ...	21	18	8
1935	Exors. Mrs. E. Rowe ...	50	0	0
	,, Mr. Gist	203	5	0
1936	Exors. Mrs M. E. Pearce (additional)	5	0	0
	,, Mr. Oliver	50	0	0
1938	Exors. Mrs. Edward Shearme, for Edward Shearme Memorial Fund ...	450	0	0
	,, James Henry Stephens (per Lloyds Bank, Ltd., London) ...	50	0	0
1938	Marhamchurch Revel ...	10	0	0
1939	do. do. ...	10	0	0
1941	Exors. Mrs. Dovaston ...	50	0	0
1942	Exors. Miss Hardy	100	0	0
1943	Clifton College Benefaction ...	105	0	0
1944	Anon	50	0	0
1944	Mary Ann Wickett	20	0	0
1944	C. H. Walkey, Bed Nomination	100	0	0
1945	Lt. J. C. Bally, Bed Nomination	100	0	0
1945	Mrs. Cann..	150	0	0

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